

## BRIEF CITY NEWS

**Three Best Trial St.**  
**Lighting Fixtures**—Burgess-Grand Co.  
 1150—National Life Insurance Co.—1910  
 Charles B. Ady, General Agent, Omaha.  
**Miss Anna Bailey** of Riley Sisters Mu-  
 sic company has gone to New York to  
 produce the spring stock.

**Savings Accounts** in Nebraska Savings  
 and Loan Ass'n. Omaha, \$5.00 each,  
 six per cent. per annum, credited semi-  
 annually. Organized 1885, 1900 Farnam.  
**Services at Gospel Hall**—J. Nixon Irving  
 of Liverpool, Eng., will preach in Gospel  
 hall, 1935 Farnam street, Sunday evening,  
 at 7:45, and every night throughout the  
 week.

**Dr. Turner Gets No New Trial**—Dr.  
 Duane Turner will get no new trial in  
 district court of his suit against the  
 Columbia Fire Insurance company, for  
 Judge Fay has overruled a motion for a  
 rehearing.

**Funeral of Henrik Schmyser**—The fu-  
 neral of Henrik Schmyser, who died  
 Thursday at his home, 922 North Twenty-  
 second street, aged 54 years, will be held  
 this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Crosby's  
 chapel. Interment at Springwell cem-  
 etery.

**Deaths at Smelter Accidental**—A verdict  
 of accidental death was the result of the  
 coroner's investigation into the circum-  
 stances of the fatal injuries sustained by  
 J. Kallike, 2739 R street, South Omaha,  
 and H. Anton, South Omaha, by the ex-  
 plosion of the forty-ton converter at the  
 plant of the American Smelting and Re-  
 fining company.

**Bohemian Farm Paper Breaks Record**—  
 Rosoplar, the Bohemian farm paper pub-  
 lished in Omaha, has just issued a mam-  
 moth number, containing 140 pages, with a  
 cover in color. The issue is printed on  
 extra fine paper and is filled from be-  
 ginning to end with special articles on  
 pertinent agricultural subjects and adver-  
 tisements that show a high appreciation  
 of the value of the paper as a medium  
 for reaching the Bohemian farming popu-  
 lation.

**Denies That It's Plant Stink**—The  
 Smith-Lockwood company denies that its  
 manufacturing processes engender such an  
 odor that the neighborhood of the plant is  
 made unhealthy. The company makes  
 this denial in an answer in district court  
 to the suit for an injunction filed months  
 ago by John Rush, who charged that the  
 property of his is being damaged by the  
 company, which picks hides before mak-  
 ing them into whips. The Smith-Lockwood  
 company asserts that an inspection of the  
 plant made by Health Commissioner Con-  
 nell constitutes an endorsement of all  
 complaints in this matter; that Thirteenth  
 street is a business street, anyhow, and  
 that the building occupied by the factory  
 was built for business purposes.

Bee Want Ads Produce Results.

PIONEERS WILL WITNESS  
CORNERSTONE LAYING

Midwinter Social to Be Held Tuesday,  
 After Which Society Will March  
 to New County Building.

The annual midwinter social of the  
 Douglas County Pioneers' association will  
 be held at Masonic temple Washington's  
 birthday at 12:30 p. m. A program has  
 been prepared and after that refreshments  
 will be served. An invitation is extended  
 to all members of the association and to  
 all pioneers in the present. Anyone who  
 came to Nebraska during 1876 or prior to  
 that time is eligible to membership in the  
 association. The list of members, as well  
 as the constitution and by-laws, will be  
 put in the cornerstones box of the new  
 Douglas county court house.

Following the luncheon the members will  
 march in a body to the court house to  
 witness the ceremonies. W. I. Kierstead,  
 as chairman of the committee has arranged  
 that seats be reserved for the members.  
 Following is the program:  
 Harp Solo—Miss Swanson.  
 Invocation—Rev. J. J. McKay.  
 "My Country 'Tis of Thee" by the pio-  
 neers.  
 Address of Welcome—General C. F. Man-  
 derson.  
 Responses—A. N. York.  
 Vocal Solo, "Holy City," George Johnson,  
 Washington Memorial Address—General  
 J. C. Cowin.  
 Five-minute talks by the pioneers.  
 Solo—Miss Tebbins.  
 Solo, "A Man's Man," John A. Dem-  
 pster.

**Simple Remedy for Lagrippe.**  
 Lagrippe coughs are dangerous, as they  
 frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's  
 Honey and Tar not only stops the cough,  
 but it also strengthens the lungs so that  
 no serious results can follow. It contains  
 genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains  
 no harmful drugs and is in a yellow pack-  
 age. Sold by all druggists.

**AFTER  
 SUFFERING  
 ONE YEAR**

**Cured by Lydia E. Pink-  
 ham's Vegetable Compound**

Milwaukee, Wis.—"Lydia E. Pink-  
 ham's Vegetable Compound has made  
 me a well woman, and I would like to  
 tell the whole world of it. I suffered  
 from female trouble, and the best doctors  
 and they all decided that I had a tumor  
 in addition to my female trouble, and  
 advised an operation. Lydia E. Pink-  
 ham's Vegetable Compound made me  
 a well woman and I have no more  
 backache. I hope can help others by  
 telling them of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-  
 table Compound has done for me."  
 —Mrs. Emma Jones, 533 First St.,  
 Milwaukee, Wis.

The above is only one of the thou-  
 sands of grateful letters which are  
 constantly being received by the  
 Pinkham Medicine Company of Lynn,  
 Mass., which prove beyond a doubt that  
 Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,  
 made from roots and herbs,  
 actually does cure these obstinate dis-  
 eases of women after all other means  
 have failed, and that every such suf-  
 fering woman owes it to herself to at  
 least give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-  
 table Compound a trial before submit-  
 ting to an operation, or giving up  
 hope of recovery.

Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass.,  
 invites all sick women to write  
 her for advice. She has guided  
 thousands to health and her  
 advice is free.

## SCHOOL AND COLLEGE WORK

Various Events Break the Stediness  
 of the Grind.

## RANK OF LEADING UNIVERSITIES

Progressive Activities in Local and  
 Distant Institutions—Slight  
 Physical Defects Retard  
 Studies.

John M. Tully, state accountant, and  
 John M. Gilchrist, special accountant, have  
 completed a check-up of the state uni-  
 versity, which when put in shape for pub-  
 lication will be the most exhaustive in-  
 spection ever given that institution.  
 The published report will show just how  
 much salary each instructor is paid and  
 just how many days he has worked and  
 how many hours a day. It will show fur-  
 ther how many hours is devoted to each  
 study and how much it costs the state to  
 instruct the pupils in each line of study.  
 It will show also just how many students  
 are instructed by each professor or assis-  
 tant.

The report goes into the matter of text  
 books, which are bought and sold to the  
 students at cost, and shows that the state  
 is running this department on a very nar-  
 row profit, though the students have been  
 saved considerable money by the adoption  
 of this plan of handling text books.

A complete report is made on the pur-  
 chase of supplies for the institution and in-  
 cludes the copy of bids which have been  
 filed. The indications are some of these  
 bids will be a revelation to the public with  
 regard to the way in which they are ad-  
 vanced apart as though some of the dealers  
 did not expect to get the contract bid on.

Until Auditor Barton returns the report  
 will not be available for publication.

## NEWS FROM PERU NORMAL.

## Big Delegation Is Sent to Y. M. C. A.

Peru sent an unusually strong rep-  
 resentation to the state meeting of the  
 Young Men's Christian association at  
 Wesleyan university this week. Bert E.  
 Swenson, Peru's star athlete of last year,  
 who is now teaching at Holdrege, was  
 sent as an honorary delegate. Joseph  
 Goldstein, a strong Christian worker and  
 a diligent student, and J. B. Sloat, the  
 pianist of the association, represented the  
 senior class. Messrs H. M. Stephens, Ira  
 Crook, Archie Hosterman and Percy Stick-  
 dale represented the junior class. L. L.  
 Stafford, G. E. Clark and Emory Vedel  
 were the other delegates. This is the  
 largest and most representative delegation  
 that Peru has ever sent to a state con-  
 vention.

The Century Sunday school class of the  
 Baptist church, composed of about 100  
 members, gave a farewell reception to  
 Prof. J. W. Seaton, their teacher, last  
 Wednesday evening. After addresses by  
 W. E. Darrow, pastor, and Miss Frances  
 Willard Blake on behalf of the class, Mr.  
 Seaton responded in an excellent speech.

The Normal Agricultural society held a  
 very interesting meeting Wednesday eve-  
 ning. The program, which was attended  
 by a large audience, was as follows:  
 Piano solo, Misses Gifford and Medley;  
 reading, Mrs. Daisy D. Nettleton, head  
 of the department of expression; talk,  
 "The Correlation of Agriculture With Es-  
 tablished Subjects," D. H. Weber; lecture,  
 "Agriculture in the Public Schools," Prof.  
 F. M. Gregg.

The normal agricultural department re-  
 ceived the diploma of the Nebraska State  
 Teachers' association for the best indus-  
 trial exhibit at the association.  
 The senior class has awarded the con-  
 tract for the painting of the picture from  
 which the half-tones for the Peru year-  
 book will be made to J. C. Kraus of Nebraska  
 City. This is a big job, as the class has  
 about 180 members. The members of the  
 class will go in groups to the city for the  
 sittings on Fridays and Saturdays until  
 the work is completed.

Dr. D. Overholt, the registrar, has ar-  
 ranged to have the state examinations held  
 at the normal to accommodate those  
 wishing to complete the examinations for  
 their certificates.

Prof. Weeks is making a special effort  
 to embody the practical in his normal in-  
 struction in agriculture. During the last  
 year he has enlisted half of the Peru stu-  
 dent body in furnishing the practical  
 around work. William Davenport's dairy  
 furnished an opportunity for stock judg-  
 ing and the investigation of dairy opera-  
 tions. A plot of ground was given over  
 to corn test, on which an ear-to-ear row  
 corn test was conducted by the agricul-  
 tural classes. The study of chickens is  
 supplemented by a survey of the poultry  
 yards in and around Peru, which have  
 been doubled in number because of the  
 interest created by Prof. Weeks. Mr.  
 Weeks has so interested Mr. Lowe that  
 they have rented a farm one and one-half  
 miles west of Peru, on which they have  
 placed Guy Goldsboro, who will run it  
 under the scientific direction of Prof.  
 Weeks and the actual supervision of Mr.  
 Lowe. Pure bred seed corn will be raised,  
 with the idea of high yield and quality  
 predominating. Lowe's Reid Yellow Dent  
 corn, which has been bred pure by Mr.  
 Lowe for five years, will be the chief  
 crop raised. The farm assistant will keep  
 a record of each day's operations and of  
 the condition and progress of every plot.  
 These records will furnish material for  
 the agricultural classes. From time to  
 time the classes will observe the actual  
 farm operations to supplement the book  
 work. This valuable opportunity is fur-  
 nished the normal free of charge and will  
 make much more vital the work in agri-  
 culture.

Through the efforts of Prof. Gregg, the  
 adviser of the junior class, the members of  
 that class have been furnished with blank  
 forms for study programs. These blanks enable  
 the student to plan a definite time for each  
 task and, as far as possible, the same  
 things are done at the same hour on each  
 day. This enables the student to do  
 everything according to a definite  
 system. It is found that the use of these  
 programs saves the student an average of  
 about one hour's time each day.

It was a lively basketball game Friday  
 evening between the Peru Normal and the  
 High school teams, that resulted in  
 a score of 25 to 24 in favor of Peru. Both  
 teams are well trained. The Normal team  
 has outclassed some of the best college  
 teams in the state and the Auburn High  
 school team has demonstrated its strength  
 in many games with neighboring high  
 schools. A large and enthusiastic audience  
 witnessed the game with great interest.

The Everett Literary society, of which  
 D. H. Weber is president, gave the follow-  
 ing program Friday evening: Piano solo,  
 Carmen Jones; vocal solo, Emma Falter;  
 reading, Martha Giltner; music by the  
 quartet, Rex Truman, Oren Lincoln, Rus-  
 sell Whitfield and Frank Ellenberger.

The biological seminar had an interesting  
 meeting recently at which the "health  
 movement" was discussed. Prof. H. B.  
 Duncanson, Victor Truiken, Archie Dorsey,  
 J. L. Dennis and Lewis Garey contributed  
 to the discussion.

The senior class has decided to give as  
 its senior class play "When Knighthood  
 Was in Flower." Last year's class gave  
 "Joan of Arc."  
 Precentress Lillian U. Stouffer of Mount

Vernon hall was called home this week on  
 account of the poor health of her mother  
 and her brother. They live at Osceola.  
 Miss Della Tarsh, a prominent member of  
 the senior class, is acting precentress in  
 her absence.

The debating squad of the Normal High  
 school worked in the Peru Normal library  
 on Saturday. They were accompanied by  
 assistant Principal Nellie Davison, who is  
 a last year's graduate of the Normal. Miss  
 Davison was a prominent debater while in  
 school.

**Kearney Normal Notes.**  
 A delegation from the Young Men's  
 Christian association attended the state  
 convention of the association at University  
 Place last week. The normal association be-  
 ing represented by Messrs. Edward Bush,  
 Claude Smith, George Wallace and Wil-  
 liam Cook.

S. C. Bassett of Gibson visited the school  
 Tuesday morning. Mr. Bassett has long  
 been closely identified with the develop-  
 ment of the state, and his interest in the  
 agricultural progress of Nebraska is well  
 known. Mr. Bassett is now preparing a  
 book on the beginnings of Buffalo country.  
 He gave a very interesting and instructive  
 talk in chapel Tuesday morning upon this  
 subject.

The friends of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Clark  
 were pained to learn of the death of Mrs.  
 Clark's brother, Prof. Holbrook of Pitts-  
 burg, which occurred on the 13th inst.  
 Dr. and Mrs. Clark left for the east on  
 Monday to attend the funeral. Prof. Hol-  
 brook has been very prominent in educa-  
 tional circles, and at the time of his death  
 was principal of the South Side High school  
 in Pittsburg.

The State Examining committee, consist-  
 ing of Deputy State Superintendent Frank  
 Purdie, Superintendent B. J. Bodwell of  
 Beatrice and Prof. Joseph Sparks of Lin-  
 coln, visited the school on Thursday. They  
 spent the entire day in inspecting the  
 school and listening to recitations. Es-  
 pecially a great deal of attention was given  
 some good thought or suggestion with the  
 students. Their visit was much appreciated  
 by the students and faculty.

A reception was held on Wednesday eve-  
 ning for the senior and training classes in  
 the normal. The central rotunda and corri-  
 dors were artistically decorated. The stu-  
 dents were seated in a beautiful hall. Light  
 refreshments were served. Games, story tell-  
 ing and singing constituted the program.

George Coupland, regent of the University  
 of Nebraska, and Principal Ellis U. Graff  
 of the Omaha High school, spent Sunday  
 and Monday in the city, guests of President  
 and Mrs. Duncanson. Mr. Coupland spoke  
 Sunday morning in the Christian church  
 and Sunday evening in the Congregational  
 church. Sunday afternoon he will visit the  
 Boy's Industrial school and deliver an ad-  
 dress there. On Monday morning Principal  
 Graff and Mr. Coupland will speak at the  
 chapel exercises at chapel in the school.  
 The work of the school in the evening will  
 occur the monthly professional round table  
 of the normal faculty. Both gentlemen will  
 address the evening meeting. These round  
 tables are very profitable and enjoyed by  
 the members of the faculty.

The evening meeting will be held at the  
 residence of the president. The students  
 and family are looking forward with great  
 pleasure to the visit of these two friends.  
 Dr. Peter McQueen of Boston delivered  
 his lecture on the Uganda country last  
 night in the normal chapel. The room was  
 filled to overflowing and the lecture was  
 one of great interest. Dr. McQueen is the  
 second number on the annual lecture  
 and entertainment course of the normal.  
 The audience was highly pleased with the  
 instructive and entertaining lecture.

The German club held its regular monthly  
 meeting Tuesday evening. A pleasing and  
 entertaining program was rendered.

## RANK OF UNIVERSITIES.

## Attendance at Twenty-Eight Leading

## Institutions.

The annual pamphlet, compiled and pub-  
 lished by Prof. Rudolph Tombs, Jr., of  
 Columbia university, showing the atten-  
 dance of the twenty-eight leading Ameri-  
 can universities, is just off the press. His  
 comparative statistics show that on the  
 whole considerable gains have been made  
 all along the line, although this year four  
 institutions—Yale, Harvard, New York  
 university and Wisconsin—show a loss as  
 compared with the previous year. The great-  
 est gains have been made during the year  
 by Columbia, Chicago, Wisconsin, Cal-  
 ifornia, Cornell, Ohio and Pennsylvania, in  
 the order named.

According to the figures for 1909, the  
 twenty-eight universities rank as follows:  
 No. Name. Enrolled.  
 1. Columbia 12,422  
 2. Harvard 12,358  
 3. Chicago 12,358  
 4. Michigan 12,358  
 5. Cornell 12,358  
 6. Pennsylvania 12,358  
 7. Illinois 12,358  
 8. Minnesota 12,358  
 9. Wisconsin 12,358  
 10. California 12,358  
 11. New York university 12,358  
 12. Nebraska 12,358  
 13. Yale 12,358  
 14. Stanford 12,358  
 15. Northwestern 12,358  
 16. Ohio 12,358  
 17. Michigan 12,358  
 18. Texas 12,358  
 19. Indiana 12,358  
 20. Kansas 12,358  
 21. Tulane 12,358  
 22. Stanford 12,358  
 23. Princeton 12,358  
 24. Western Reserve 12,358  
 25. Washington 12,358  
 26. Virginia 12,358  
 27. Johns Hopkins 12,358  
 28. With a few exceptions there have been  
 general gains in the attendance of the male  
 undergraduate academic departments, the  
 most increases being shown by the Prince-  
 ton, Nebraska, Stanford and Kansas. The  
 enrollment of undergraduate women also  
 shows a satisfactory general increase; at  
 Cornell and Syracuse the number of under-  
 graduate women is larger than that of the  
 men. Harvard continues to lead in the  
 number of male academic students, being  
 followed by Princeton, Michigan, Colum-  
 bia, Wisconsin, Columbia and Minne-  
 sota.

## UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN.

## Honors for Men Who Advanced Agri-

## culture.

In recognition of their notable contribu-  
 tions to the advancement of the agricul-  
 ture of the country, the University of  
 Wisconsin College of Agriculture presented  
 special testimonials to Seaman A. Knapp,  
 Washington, D. C.; George C. Hill, Rosen-  
 dale, Wis., and Herman A. Bueh, Dela-  
 ware, Wis., at the "Recognition Exercises  
 of the farmers' course," Friday, February 11.  
 To each President Charles R. Van Hise, in  
 behalf of the regents and the college fac-  
 ulty, presented appropriately engrossed  
 testimonials.

This is the second time that the univer-  
 sity has made such awards, having estab-  
 lished the recognition exercises as a part  
 of the farmers' course last year, when the  
 honor was conferred upon Henry Wallace,  
 Des Moines, Ia., member of Roosevelt's  
 Country Life commission; Charles Perry  
 Goodrich, Fort Atkinson, Wis., dairy com-  
 missioner, and Arthur L. Hatch, Sturgeon  
 Bay, Wis., horticulturist.

Seaman A. Knapp, upon whom the honor  
 was conferred this year, was born in New  
 York, but in 1862 settled on a farm in Iowa  
 and became an important agriculturist,  
 writer and editor. Since 1885 he has been  
 engaged in the development of agriculture  
 in the south, introducing the cultivation  
 of Japanese rice and organizing demon-  
 stration farms in twelve states. He received

his degree of bachelor of arts from Union  
 college, N. Y., of LL.D. from Upper Iowa  
 university, the same degree from Baylor  
 university, Waco, Tex.; and of doctor of  
 sciences from Iowa State college.

Herman A. Briggs was given recognition  
 for his work in the improvement of horse-  
 breeding in the state. In 1887 he went to  
 France and imported some of the finest  
 Percherons in the country, and has since  
 done more than almost any other man  
 to establish Wisconsin's present high stand-  
 ard in horse-breeding.

George C. Hill was honored for his office  
 as an institute worker and as an organizer  
 of farmers' clubs, establishing higher  
 ideals of rural life.

## BACKWARD IN SCHOOL WORK.

## Results of Investigation in Philadel-

## phia Schools.

As a result of figures secured and in-  
 vestigations recently completed by the  
 Board of Health of Philadelphia it has  
 been proved that the presence of adenoid  
 growths in the nose and throat of the  
 small boy and girl is responsible for a  
 great measure for the increasing number  
 of backward and dull pupils in the lower  
 grades of that city's public schools. Facts,  
 which have been ascertained not only in  
 Philadelphia, but in New York and several  
 other larger cities, where the primary  
 school list runs into the thousands, have  
 shown that instant and marked im-  
 provement in the ability and accomplish-  
 ments of the young scholars has followed  
 the removal of the adenoid growths.

Since the issuance by Director Neff of a  
 pamphlet directed to the parents of all  
 the younger school children of the city last  
 October the department has continued its  
 investigations, and additional figures and  
 data are being compiled by the assistants  
 and medical inspectors connected with the  
 bureau. Medical Inspector Walter S. Cor-  
 nell is now engaged in a series of experi-  
 ments pertaining to the treatment and  
 ultimate removal of the adenoids in view  
 of their effect upon the minds of the  
 children.

The director's report on the subject says  
 that during the last school year the as-  
 sistant medical inspectors of the bureau  
 of health found in the public schools 1,228  
 pupils suffering with adenoids; the pupil in  
 each case being referred by letter to the  
 parents for treatment—the only proper  
 method of which consists in the removal  
 of these growths. Of this number 482 were  
 operated upon.

As to the nature of the growth, the  
 director explains that an adenoid is an  
 enlargement of certain tissues, which are  
 the base of the nose or in the throat about  
 the tonsil, which increases in size until  
 the air supply, which passes through the  
 nose to the lungs, is interfered with to  
 such an extent that the child is compelled  
 to breathe through the mouth. If this con-  
 dition is allowed to remain, the report con-  
 tinues, it not only gives to the child a  
 peculiar expression—which is well known  
 to both teachers and doctors—but causes  
 retardation of the mental faculties, adenoid  
 deafness, headache, chronic catarrhal con-  
 ditions and renders a child much more  
 susceptible to diphtheria, scarlet fever and  
 mastoid disease, which cause very many  
 deaths in the city every year.

Adenoids play a great part in the back-  
 wardness of children and are responsible  
 for their inability to keep up with their  
 grade in school, the report continues. The  
 retention of normal health and good  
 education make them up for the school  
 reach mature years for their duties in life  
 as citizens.

Many parents, not realizing the serious  
 conditions involved by these growths and  
 their results in after-life, object to what  
 is called an "operation." This is in fact  
 a very simple matter, performed by a few  
 moments and unattended by any danger.

## ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE.

## Widening Influence of School at

## Chicago.

At the midyear meeting of the trust-  
 ees, President Barker announced a gift  
 of \$5,000 from a friend in Jacksonville,  
 another \$1,000 from Miss Mary Kellogg,  
 a bequest of \$1,000 from the estate of Mary  
 Green of Jacksonville and smaller gifts  
 aggregating \$2,000.  
 To fill vacancies in the board Dr. C. E.  
 Welch of Westfield, N. Y., and Hiram  
 Buck Prentiss of Kenilworth, Ill., were  
 appointed. The father of Mr. Prentiss,  
 Rev. Dr. William S. Prentiss, was one of  
 the founders of the Woman's college, as  
 was Hiram Buck, for whom  
 he is named. These appointments show  
 that the college is attracting the atten-  
 tion and interest of capable business men  
 in a largely increasing territory.

## Educational Notes.

Prof. Richard C. Chandler, director of  
 the scientific school of Yale university, has  
 announced a gift from George G. Mason  
 of Minneapolis, Minn., of \$10,000 for the  
 purchase of a new building for the school.  
 In the scientific school, of \$20,000 for a lab-  
 oratory of mechanical engineering.

Prof. Karl G. Langer, an astronomer  
 department in Columbia university, who,  
 a few years ago, engaged in a spiri-  
 tualist seance, has been elected to the  
 Cook or the Mount McKinley expedition.  
 He resigned after twenty years' service  
 in Columbia, which he devoted all of his time  
 to research.

Miss Martha Berry, head of a school for  
 boys and girls at Rome, Ga., has just  
 succeeded in raising the \$20,000 needed  
 to secure an equal room from Mrs. Russell  
 Western, Berkeley, Calif. This school  
 drew out of a little over \$20,000 that  
 Miss Berry started in the mountains of  
 Georgia ten years ago.

The New York Board of Education has  
 just been told by its superintendent of  
 schools that three-quarters of the children  
 in the public schools need surgical or medi-  
 cal treatment. School physicians ex-  
 amined 22,544 pupils and found 22,468 afflicted  
 in some way. They reported 22,468 chil-  
 dren suffering from defective vision, 7,023  
 from defective nasal breathing and 18,523  
 having defective teeth.

## Announcements of the Theaters.

Tonight at the Boyd Lillian Russell will  
 be followed by local engagements of the  
 company, which will include a special  
 afternoon. She will be seen in an amount  
 light comedy that might almost be classed  
 as a farce and which is happily entitled  
 "The First Night," as a development con-  
 cerns the trials of two authors in getting  
 their musical comedy produced in a regu-  
 lar theater. As Lillian Russell is long  
 identified with the comic opera stage, she  
 ought to know the twists and turns of  
 such possibilities, and this explains her un-  
 usual voguish in the new piece. It was writ-  
 ten for her by George V. Hobart and is  
 credited with being that popular combina-  
 tion of Russell and Hobart is quite suffi-  
 cient. The fair Lillian has a beautiful pro-  
 duction to offer and a supporting company  
 of the highest strength. In the cast will  
 be found such favorites as Digby Bell, Su-  
 sanne Westford, Millicent Evans, Sydney  
 Booth, Julius McVicker, Albert Andrus,  
 George E. Mack, T. Hays Hunter, Leonora  
 Oakford and Sadie Williams.

If you want to say anything quickly ad-  
 vertise it in The Bee Want Ad Columns.

## SCHOOLS.

## GRAND ISLAND COLLEGE.

Regular college preparatory course,  
 Music, Art and Commercial courses of-  
 fered. Catalogue sent on request. Ask for  
 about the school. Address, Dr. George  
 Westford, President.

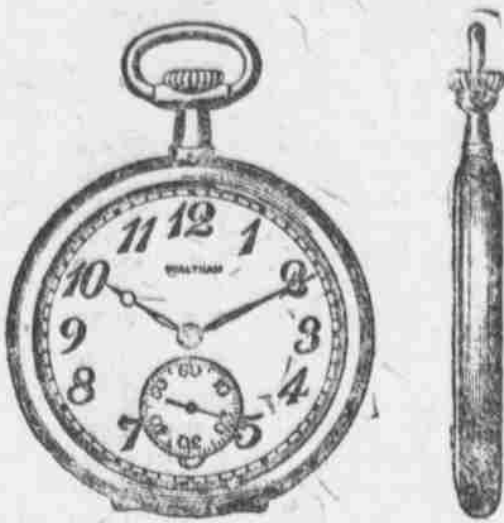
## GRAND ISLAND, NEBRASKA.

## Will Report Scott Bill.

While the committee on agriculture has  
 not yet formally canvassed its views, the  
 indications tonight are that it will report  
 the Scott bill, with some amendments.

## WALTHAM WATCHES

The Authentic American Watch



—When an authentic watch is shown  
 Each man winds up and rectifies his own.

There is nothing that gives so much value for the money as  
 a good watch. You pay Fifty Dollars for a suit of clothes or a  
 bicycle and it is gone in a year or two—no value remains. The  
 same amount of money invested in a Waltham Watch adjusted  
 to temperature and position is a safe and paying investment for  
 your life and to be handed down to your heirs. Its value is  
 constant and its usefulness increases.

## WALTHAM WATCH COMPANY,

WALTHAM, MASS.

Send for the "Perfect American Watch," our book about watches.

## GRA